

**WHEN THINGS DON'T
WORKOUT AS PLANNED
(STORY OF FAILED EXORCISM)**

MARK 9:14-29

CF. MATTHEW 17:14-20; LUKE 9:37-43

¹³JESUS WENT UP ON A MOUNTAIN SIDE AND CALLED TO HIM THOSE HE WANTED, AND THEY CAME TO HIM.
¹⁴HE **APPOINTED TWELVE** THAT THEY MIGHT BE WITH HIM AND THAT HE MIGHT **SEND THEM OUT TO PREACH**
¹⁵AND TO **HAVE AUTHORITY TO DRIVE OUT DEMONS.**

MARK 3:13-15

¹⁷THE SEVENTY-TWO RETURNED WITH JOY
AND SAID, "**LORD, EVEN THE DEMONS**
SUBMIT TO US IN YOUR NAME.

LUKE 10:17

¹¹THE PHARISEES CAME AND BEGAN TO QUESTION **JESUS. TO TEST HIM**, THEY ASKED HIM FOR A SIGN FROM HEAVEN. ¹²HE SIGHED DEEPLY AND SAID, "WHY DOES THIS GENERATION ASK FOR A SIGN? TRULY I TELL YOU, NO SIGN WILL BE GIVEN TO IT." ¹³THEN HE LEFT THEM, GOT BACK INTO THE BOAT AND CROSSED TO THE OTHER SIDE.

MARK 8:11-13

AFTER SIX DAYS JESUS TOOK **PETER, JAMES AND JOHN** WITH HIM AND LED THEM UP A HIGH MOUNTAIN, WHERE THEY WERE ALL ALONE. THERE HE WAS TRANSFIGURED BEFORE THEM. ³HIS CLOTHES BECAME DAZZLING WHITE, WHITER THAN ANYONE IN THE WORLD COULD BLEACH THEM. ⁴AND THERE APPEARED BEFORE THEM ELIJAH AND MOSES, WHO WERE TALKING WITH JESUS. ⁵PETER SAID TO JESUS, "RABBI, IT IS GOOD FOR US TO BE HERE. LET US PUT UP THREE SHELTERS-ONE FOR YOU, ONE FOR MOSES AND ONE FOR ELIJAH." ⁶(HE DID NOT KNOW WHAT TO SAY, THEY WERE SO FRIGHTENED.)

MARK 9:2-6

19 SO JESUS REPLIED, "TRULY, TRULY, I TELL YOU, THE SON CAN DO NOTHING BY HIMSELF, UNLESS HE SEES THE FATHER DOING IT. FOR WHATEVER THE FATHER DOES, THE SON ALSO DOES. **20** THE FATHER LOVES THE SON AND SHOWS HIM ALL HE DOES. AND TO YOUR AMAZEMENT, HE WILL SHOW HIM EVEN GREATER WORKS THAN THESE....

JOHN 5:19-20

¹⁴ I HAVE GIVEN THEM YOUR WORD AND THE WORLD HAS HATED THEM, FOR THEY ARE NOT OF THE WORLD ANY MORE THAN I AM OF THE WORLD. ¹⁵ **MY PRAYER IS NOT THAT YOU TAKE THEM OUT OF THE WORLD** BUT THAT YOU PROTECT THEM FROM THE EVIL ONE. ¹⁶ THEY ARE NOT OF THE WORLD, EVEN AS I AM NOT OF IT. ¹⁷ SANCTIFY THEM BY THE TRUTH; YOUR WORD IS TRUTH. ¹⁸ AS YOU SENT ME INTO THE WORLD, **I HAVE SENT THEM INTO THE WORLD.** ¹⁹ FOR THEM I SANCTIFY MYSELF, THAT THEY TOO MAY BE TRULY SANCTIFIED.

JOHN 17:14-19



¹⁴THIS IS THE CONFIDENCE WE HAVE IN
APPROACHING GOD: THAT IF WE ASK ANYTHING
ACCORDING TO HIS WILL, HE HEARS US.

¹⁵AND **IF** WE KNOW THAT **HE HEARS** US-WHATEVER
WE ASK-WE KNOW THAT **WE HAVE WHAT WE ASKED**
OF HIM

1 JOHN 5:14-15